GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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Setting up of Research Parks
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government plans to make substantial investments to set up research parks, ethnological business incubators and startup centres in premier educational institutes like the Indian Institute of Technology, Indian Institute of Science and the National Institute of Technology;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) whether these institutes had recently made proposal to the Government for such facilities;
(d) if so, the details thereof;
(e) whether the said move to fund such centres would help the institutes generate additional revenue with creation of intellectual property rights; and
(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

(a) to (d): Yes Madam, Department of Science and Technology (DST) and Ministry of Human Resources Development (MHRD) have jointly taken an initiative for promoting research through establishment of Research Parks/Technology Business Incubators /Startup Centres. In this regard, 13 Startup Centres, 16 Technology Business Incubators and 6 Research Parks have been sanctioned in different Centrally Funded Technical Institutions. Details alongwith funding pattern are Annexed.
(e) & (f): No Madam, as these research centres have been sanctioned during current year only.
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